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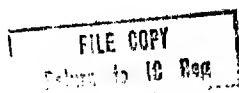
MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

SUBJECT : Proposed DCID No. 1/18, "Recognition of
Exceptional Service to the U.S. Intelligence
Community"

1. The Director of Central Intelligence has authorized the circulation of the attached proposed DCID No. 1/18, "Recognition of Exceptional Service to the U.S. Intelligence Community," for consideration by the United States Intelligence Board.

USIB ACTION REQUESTED

2. USIB members are requested to record their concurrence or comments on the proposed DCID No. 1/18 by returning the attached vote sheet to the Secretariat by close of business 15 April.



Executive Secretary

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Attachments



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Attachment A
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MEMORANDUM FOR: USIB Principals

SUBJECT : Proposed DCID 1/18 on Awards for
Intelligence Community Service

1. Attached for your comments and/or coordination is a draft of a proposed new DCID 1/18, "Recognition of Exceptional Service to the U.S. Intelligence Community."

2. This DCID would establish three separate awards to be made by the Director of Central Intelligence on the recommendation of the USIB for performance of duty which is considered to warrant recognition by the Community rather than by the parent organization of the person for whom the award is proposed.

3. Awards of this nature would be particularly appropriate for outstanding service performed by:

a. Intelligence personnel who, in the course of their activities within their individual organization, perform services considered to warrant recognition by the entire Community.

b. Chairmen and staff members of USIB Committees.

c. Members of the National Intelligence Officer structure.

d. Members of the Intelligence Community Staff.

4. You will note that the proposed awards for Community service do not include three types of medals or awards on the grounds that these are adequately covered by existing regulations within the individual departments and agencies:

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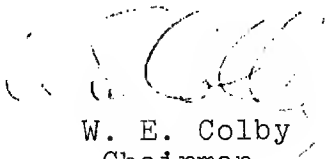
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- a. Awards for exceptional valor
- b. Length of service awards
- c. Retirement recognition

5. Upon approval of DCID 1/18, the Deputy to the DCI for the Intelligence Community will be charged with seeking the assistance of the U.S. Army Institute of Heraldry in developing the design for the Intelligence Community medals and appropriate ribbon bars and lapel buttons.

6. The Deputy to the DCI for the Intelligence Community also will be responsible for arrangements with the Department of Defense regarding the wearing of ribbon bars for Intelligence Community medals by military personnel on active duty.

7. Your comments and/or coordination on the proposed DCID 1/18 are requested within two weeks.


W. E. Colby
Chairman

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